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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Daniel E. E. Hayes, Jr. et al.
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Title: BIMETAL TIBIAL COMPONENT CONSTRUCT FOR
KNEE JOINT PROSTHESIS
Group Art Unit: 3738
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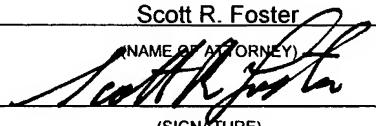
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to a current Office
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Please amend the application as follows:

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